[26th February 1929

A.—(*a*) Unless transferred by the Board of Revenue for any reason, minor irrigation supervisors will ordinarily continue to serve in the district where they are.

(*b*) & (*c*) The information desired by the hon. Member is not readily available in any book of reference but would have to be specially compiled. The Government do not propose to order such compilation because as has already been stated in answer to questions on the subject of minor irrigation supervisors the Government think that ordinarily it is to the fuller advantage that they should serve in one district and not be transferred.

Irrigation of certain lands in Aralihalli village, Hospet taluk.

* 1470 *Q.*—Mr. A. Ranganatha Mudaliyar: Will the hon. the Member for Revenue be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether Survey Nos. 27-*a*, 27-*b*, 27-*c*, 28, 29-*a*, 29-*b*, 30-*a*, 30-*b*, 30-*c*, 12-*a*, 12-*b* and 12-*c* of Aralihalli village, Hospet taluk, Bellary district, are classified as wet lands in the Revenue registers and if so, the channel and the sluice intended to irrigate them;

(*b*) whether the said lands were for many years being irrigated by sluice No. 14; and

(*c*) whether irrigation from that sluice has since been prohibited and if so, why and from what date?

A.—(*a*) The Resettlement Register shows that the lands in question have been registered as wet under the Tungabhadra Anicut—Basavanna Kaluva. They are not registered as entitled to irrigation under a particular sluice.

(*b*) & (*c*) The Government have no information on these points.

Survey

Resurvey of Kasaragod taluk.

* 1471 *Q.*—Mr. J. A. Saldanha: With reference to my question No. 229 answered on 8th September 1928, will the hon. the Member for Revenue be pleased—

(i) to place before the Council—

(*a*) the representation of the Landholders' Association of South Kanara at Mangalore and the orders passed thereon; and

(*b*) any subsequent orders as to the resurvey of Kasaragod taluk; and

(ii) to state the amount of the back assessment received, and

(*a*) liable to be refunded; and

(*b*) actually refunded under various headings according to the orders of Government?

A.—(i) (*a*) & (*b*) A copy of the order passed on the representation of the Landholders' Association of South Kanara was sent to the Honorary Secretary of that Association. Since then certain matters dealt with in that representation have been further examined by the Government, and orders have just been issued. A copy of these two orders [a] are placed on the table.

(ii) The Government have not the information.

[a] Printed as Appendix I on pages 166–170 infra.